

Fw: Air Study, funding, etc.

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FYI and later discussion.

I will also be sending a follow-up from Day.

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Richard,

Dan and I are very interested in helping to fund the study of **air** (per our brief conversation at the end of our Town Hall meeting), through an organization, so it's legitimate, with your group leading the study. We funded the pilot no spray project for 8 miles on HWY 36 through the OTA (you met Lisa Arkin).

We had an organization (Walama) who hired people to cut the brush ,weeds ,so called invasive species manually, and then ODOT who agreed to do this pilot project agreed to mow ,instead of spraying. We funded the project 1st and 2 nd year (2011) through the OTA ,and so far payed over 18,000 dollars. We are committed to keep this project going every year.

What we would like to do, is something similar in order to study air ,volatalization,re volatalization, fog, throughout one year period in our area. The reason why we would like it to be 12 month study is to be able to see what happens during the off spray seasons, as far as volatalization goes (see the attachment, please).

This can possibly give us some answers on why our pesticide urine levels where present during winter base line sampling. This will show us how many months of the year we are getting low level toxic exposure.

We were envisioning air monitoring stations at different locations, of the lands of people that we trust, that got tested positive in our first group testing with Dr. Dana Barr.

Gary Hale suggested these air monitoring stations: http://www.fjspecialty.com/highvol.htm

Please let us know your thoughts. Thank you! The Gees

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